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THE WICHITA EAGLE, THE GREAT DAILY OF THE SOUTHWEST, YESTERDAY BEGAN TAKING THE LEASED WIRE SERVICE OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. THE EAGLE IS THE THIRD PAPER IN KANSAS TO GET THIS NEWS—THE TOPEKA STATE JOURNAL WAS THE FIRST TO BEGIN IT; THE CAPITAL THE SECOND. THE SUPERIOR NEWS SERVICE OF THIS GREAT ASSOCIATION IS SHOWN BY THE IMMENSE AND COMPLETE WASHINGTON NEWS OF THE CLOSING OF THE GREAT TARIFF DEBATE IN THE HOUSE, PUBLISHED BY THE STATE JOURNAL. LAST EVENING, THE STATE JOURNAL WAS THE ONLY PAPER IN KANSAS RECEIVING THE FULL DAY ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.

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